# MINUTES OF THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS, SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS December 03, 2010

The Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists met on Friday, December 03, 2010, at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia with the following members present:

# **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

William Quarterman, LPC, Chair Gene T. Schrader, MFT, Vice-Chair Patricia Harwell, MFT Will Bacon, MFT Bonnie Barker, LPC Jack Perryman, LPC Jan Ligon, CSW Helen W. Coale, CSW Ben Marion, CSW, MFT Eunice Mixon, Consumer Member

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:**

Serena Gadson, Licensure Supervisor Tricia Downing, Senior Assistant Attorney General Dianne Patterson, Administrative Assistant Amanda M. Allen, Board Support Specialist Sandy Stembridge, Licensure Analysts

#### **GUEST ATTENDEES:**

Gale Macke, LPCA Executive Director Don Durke, LPCA President

William Quarterman, Chair, established a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 9:11 a.m.

#### **Minutes**:

Harwell motioned, Schrader seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

• September 10, 2010, October 01, 2010 and November 05, 2010

#### **Executive Director's Report:**

No report presented

#### **CORRESPONDENCES:**

Correspondences received between scheduled Board meetings were reviewed and discussed.

• Joy Miller, Wendy Phillips, Linda Richardson, Delbra F. Thomas, De-An Watkins and Tyajuana Williamson

Harwell motioned, Bacon seconded, and the Board voted to allow the administrative staff to respond to all correspondences presented to the Board as directed. None opposed, motion carried.

Bacon motioned, Schrader seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k) (1) (2), O.C.G.A. § 50-14-2(1), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2-(k) (4), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19 (h) (2) & (4) to receive and review information pertaining to Applications, receive the Attorney General's, Cognizant, and Professional Practice Reports. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board members: Quarterman, Schrader, Ligon, Marion, Coale, Harwell, Bacon, Barker and Mixon.

# **APPLICATIONS:**

Harwell motioned, Schrader seconded, and the Board voted to accept the following Marriage & Family Therapists applications as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

#### ASSOCIATE MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST BY EXAMINATION:

1.	K.C.	Approved to sit for exam
2.	K.G.	Approved to sit for exam
3.	R.S.	Approved to sit for exam
4.	M.S.	Approved to sit for exam
5.	Z.W.	Approved to sit for exam

#### MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST BY EXAM WAIVER:

1.	Frederick, Gabriel	Approved for licensure
2.	Maul, Desmond	Approved for licensure

#### MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST BY EXAMINATION:

1.	D.B.	Approved to sit for exam
2.	H.F.	Approved to sit for exam
3.	R.M.	Approved to sit for exam
4.	A.P.T.	Approved to sit for exam

Barker motioned, Perryman seconded, and the Board voted to accept the following <u>Professional Counselors</u> applications as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

#### ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS BY EXAM:

1. M.A.	Approved to sit for exam
2. S.G.	Approved to sit for exam
3. T.G.	Approved to sit for exam
4. N.L.	Approved to sit for exam
5. C.M.	Approved to sit for exam
6. A.M.	Approved to sit for exam
7. K.M.	Approved to sit for exam
8. D.N.	Pending the receipt of additional information
9. H.P.	Approved to sit for exam

10. V.S. Approved to sit for exam 11. T.T. Approved to sit for exam

#### ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR BY EXAM WAIVER:

1. Alexander, Kimberly Approved for licensure 2. Cameron, JoAnna Approved for licensure Approved for licensure 3. Carmichael, Jennifer Approved for licensure 4. Gwaltney, Kellie 5. Jenkins, Pamela Approved for licensure 6. Johnson, Latasha Approved for licensure 7. Joseph, Lacell Approved for licensure Approved for licensure 8. McManus, Palenena 9. Mendez, Simone Approved for licensure Approved for licensure 10. Meyer, Gregory 11. Morrow, Deanna Approved for licensure 12. O'Connor, Charles Approved for licensure 13. Powell, Jennifer Approved for licensure 14. Rousso, Elizabeth Approved for licensure Approved for licensure 15. Smith, Jennifer 16. Smith, Jessica Approved for licensure 17. Spear, Shandra Approved for licensure Approved for licensure 18. Stewart, J.Matt 19. Wesley, Emily Approved for licensure 20. Wood, Nicole Approved for licensure

#### ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR – CONTRACT CHANGES:

1. Adrean, Laura Contract changes approved 2. Arnold, Candace Contract changes approved Contract changes approved 3. Ashley, Vernisa 4. Horne, Maati Contract changes approved 5. James, Angela Contract changes approved 6. Marquez, Lauren Contract changes approved 7. Shippey, Gordon Contract changes approved 8. Underwood, Elizabeth Contract changes approved

#### LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS BY EXAM:

1. L.B.H. Approved to sit for exam 2. Y.C. Approved to sit for exam 3. L.G. Approved to sit for exam 4. C.J. Approved to sit for exam Approved to sit for exam 5. J.L. 6. M.L. Approved to sit for exam 7. J.S.M. Approved to sit for exam 8. R.M. Approved to sit for exam 9. Y.M. Approved to sit for exam Pending the receipt of additional information 10. J.M. Approved to sit for exam 11. F.N.

12. G.S. Pending the receipt of additional information

13. C.S. Approved to sit for exam 14. V.L. Approved to sit for exam

#### LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR BY EXAM WAIVER:

Blasco, Lynda
 Chapman, Heather
 Christ, James
 Crumbley, Anickelette
 Davis, Nicole
 Ebinger, Mary Elizabeth
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure

7. R.F. Pending the receipt of additional information

8. Gardner, Kimberly
9. Hanks, Terralyn
10. Jackson, Orville
11. Losch, Najla
12. Maurer, Nicole
Approved for licensure
Approved for licensure
Approved for licensure
Approved for licensure

13. M.H.O. Pending the receipt of additional information14. K.P. Pending the receipt of additional information

15. Roberts, Takiyah
 16. Share, Joan
 17. Taylor, Lashay
 18. Washington, Annette
 19. White, Cynthia
 20. Williams, Meredith
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure

21. V.W. Pending the receipt of additional information

#### LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR BY ENDORSEMENT:

K.C. Approved to sit for exam
 Downing, Margaret Approved for licensure
 Kimes, Ricky Approved for licensure
 McCoy, Betty Approved for licensure
 Matos, Miguel Approved for licensure
 Royster, Sherry Approved for licensure

#### LICENSED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR BY REINSTATEMENT:

1. R.D. Denied. Must retake examination.

Ligon motioned, Harwell seconded, and the Board voted to accept the following <u>Social Workers</u> applications as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

#### CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER BY EXAM:

1. J.A. Pending the receipt of additional information

2. M.B. Approved to sit for exam

3. J.F. Pending the receipt of additional information

4. K.H. Approved to sit for exam

5. K.J. Approved to sit for exam 6. S.K. Pending the receipt of additional information 7. B.K. Approved to sit for exam 8. D.M. Pending the receipt of additional information 9. A.P. Approved to s it for exam 10. F.O. Pending the receipt of additional information 11. B.R. Approved to sit for exam 12. B.S. Approved to sit for exam 13. J.T. Approved to sit for exam 14. A.W. Approved to sit for exam 15. T.W. Approved to sit for exam 16. S.W. Approved to sit for exam

#### CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER BY EXAM WAIVER:

1.	Brown, Ruth	Approved for licensure
2.	Forney-Williams, Valleria	Approved for licensure
3.	A.L.	Pending the receipt of additional information
4.	C.L.	Pending the receipt of additional information
5.	Nichols. Janice	Approved for licensure
6.	Scott, Leslie	Approved for licensure
7.	Smith, Ellisha	Approved for licensure

#### **CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER BY REACTIVATION:**

1. Wilkinson, Beth Approved for licensure

# **CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER BY REINSTATEMENT:**

1. D.V. Pending the receipt of additional information

#### CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER BY EXAM- EXTENSION REQUEST(S):

1. Thomas, Delbra Granted. Expires 06-30-2011

#### STANDARDS COMMITTEE APPLICANT INTERVIEWS – SOCIAL WORKERS

Harwell motioned, Mixon seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations on the applicants appearing before the CSW Standards Committee. None opposed, motion carried.

1. E.A. Pending the receipt of additional information

# STANDARDS COMMITTEE APPLICANT INTERVIEW(S) – PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Harwell motioned, Mixon seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations on the applicants appearing before the LPC Standards Committee. None opposed, motion carried.

Marion motioned, Schrader seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the list of applicants approved to sit for the national exam as <u>Master Social Workers</u> in between Board meetings as follows: None opposed, motion carried.

#### **Master Social Workers**

License No.	Licensee:	<b>Issue Date</b>
MSW005220	Chase, Charis L.T.	11-05-2010
MSW005221	Haile, Lula T.	11-05-2010
MSW005222	Kohn, Alexis L.	11-05-2010
MSW005223	Oropeza. Georgia G.	11-05-2010
MSW005224	Parker, Ashley R.	11-05-2010
MSW005225	Rowe Hall, Sheila Nellie	11-05-2010
MSW005226	Stephan, Susan Anderson	11-05-2010
MSW005227	Huggins, Dawn A.	11-08-2010
MSW005228	Alvarez-Ladapo, Rosa Maria	11-08-2010
MSW005229	Cappaert, Traci Hicks	11-08-2010
MSW005230	Kolb, Lisa Marie	11-08-2010
MSW005231	Mays, Sandra Tillman	11-08-2010
MSW005232	Palmer, Andria P.	11-08-2010
MSW005233	Saville, Jasmine Camille	11-08-2010
MSW005234	Troccia, Susan F.	11-08-2010
MSW005235	Johnpulle, Anushka C.	11-16-2010
MSW005236	Newman, Mary K.	11-16-2010
MSW005237	Schuster, Amy M.	11-16-2010
MSW005238	Andretta, Autumn L.	11-16-2010
MSW005239	Flumerfelt, Laura C.	11-16-2010
MSW005240	Fowler, Cara D.	11-16-2010

# **PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE COMMITTEE REPORT:**

# **Complaint Cases Closed:**

 COMP100021, COMP110036, COMP100064, COMP100070, COMP100096, COMP100103, COMP100107, COMP110007, COMP110008, COMP110039, COMP110045

# **Compliant Cases Pending an Investigative Interview:**

• COMP110029

# **Compliant Cases Pending the Receipt of Additional Documentation:**

COMP100001, COMP100003, COMP100005, COMP100010, COMP100039, COMP100051, COMP100052, COMP100064, COMP100070, COMP100075, COMP100076, COMP100089, COMP100092, COMP100097, COMP100103, COMP100107, COMP100110, COMP110004, COMP110006, COMP110007, COMP110008, COMP110010, COMP110011, COMP110013, COMP110019, COMP110020, COMP110024, COMP110026, COMP110028, COMP110032, COMP110033, COMP110034, COMP110035, COMP110037, COMP110041, COMP110042 and COMP110043

# **Compliant Cases Referred to Enforcement:**

COMP110038

#### Compliant Cases Referred to a Peer Reviewer:

COMP090028

#### **Complaint Cases Referred to the Assistant Attorney General's Office:**

• COMP110001

Harwell motioned, Bacon seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Professional Practice Committee Report as presented. None opposed, one recues, motion carried.

#### ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT:

Tricia Downing, Senior Assistant Attorney General provided a status report, which included information on any cases referred for action.

Ligon motioned, Coale seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Attorney General's report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

## **ADDITIONAL BUSINESS:**

1. The Board wishes to thank Ms. Helen Coale and Mr. Gene Schrader for their outstanding dedication and services to the Board.

With no additional Board business requiring discussion, the Board adjourned the meeting at 2:19 p.m.

Minutes recorded by: Minutes reviewed and edited by:	Amanda M. Allen, Board Support Specialist Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director	
William Quarterman, Chair	Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director	

These minutes were signed and approved on: 01-07-2011